

# SCDXC Newsletter



The Southern California DX Club is a group of dedicated men and women active in the amateur radio community who enjoy communicating over the air with other radio amateurs around the world.

The SCDXC strongly supports the DX Code of Conduct. Please visit their website:

[www.dx-code.org](http://www.dx-code.org)

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Club meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM except June, July, and December.

Please check the club web site for events and details at:

<http://www.scdxc.org>

If you are in the area please say hello on our repeater:

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*If you need him  
get in there and*



## Vi Barrett - W6CBA - SK

If by chance you met Vi you know you ran into someone wonderful. Vi was one of a kind, warm, loving, and genuine.

First licensed in February 1948 her initiation into ham radio began when her uncle, Ed Bostrom, W6HMY, returning from WWII put his station back into operation. Ham radio has been a longstanding tradition in her family. Her first cousin, Don, N6IC is still very active. Vi's husband Don, was licensed as well. She credits Frank Cuevas, W6AOA as her Elmer and the one who got her through the licensing process.

Vi's 76 year ham journey has taken her to some very interesting places. She was the first female radio dispatcher for the FBI in Los Angeles. Vi went on to be a switchboard operator and receptionist for Whittier School District. She also ran phone patches for US servicemen during the Vietnam War. She excelled in the Morse Code and taught CW at Rio Hondo College for 10 years. The venue changed a few times but Vi stuck with it helping thousands learn the code enabling them to pass the Extra Class exam. It would take a few pages to detail all her volunteer work and ham related activity. She was always there to assist.

Even when Don and Vi moved to a retirement home they remained active. The Morningside of Fullerton home was ham friendly and Vi worked on putting together DX active station for all the hams residing there.

We are going to miss her, her joyous smile, and the stories she could tell. Rest well Vi. He is holding you now.



1948-1954 VI BARRETT, FIRST WOMAN RADIO DISPATCHER FOR FBI LOS ANGELES OFFICE



WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE NOW, 2000



Vi Barrett ham radio station W6CBA, Whittier California 1969...



## Joe Locascio, K5KT

Joe Locascio, K5KT, and his wife Marian successfully completed their wonderful around the world cruise a few days ago. However, while watching television in the comfort of his rumpus room Joe stood up to go to the bathroom. When Marian found him he was lying face down on the floor.

A 911 call quickly brought the LA County Paramedics. Because of possible head injuries, they had him transported to the Trauma Center at Harbor UCLA Medical Center. There he was admitted to the ICU where he underwent extensive rounds of various tests. Joe had lost several teeth and suffered from many fractured facial bones.



Fortunately, surgery will not be necessary to repair the fracture facial bones. They should heal on their own in a few weeks.

As Joe improved he was move from ICU to a general ward and then to Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center in Downey California. At Rancho Los Amigos Joe is receiving physical therapy to get back on his feet as quickly as possible. He is expected to be there a couple of weeks before going home.

Cards and letters can be sent to Joe at is home address.

Joe Locascio  
29703 Whitley Collins Drive  
Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275.

## No June Meeting

## No Picnic!!!

With the concurrence of the SCDXC board we have decided to cancel the June 15 picnic.

Last year we had about 23 attendees. This year we would have 10 attendees and insufficient support required for the barbecue style picnic that was requested.

I want to thank the members that responded to the picnic notification email and other in-person responses.

For those members that purchased squares at the last meeting for the radio raffle, we will move the raffle to the December Holiday Party.

**Regards**  
**Howard, W6FL**  
**President - SCDXC**





## 2024 Board of Directors

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# From the Desk of the President Howard Elovitz, W6FL

This month I would like to discuss a symptom that several clubs have. That is an aging membership and trying to get new members involved in the organization. Not an easy task and our DX Club being a niche in the Ham Radio opportunity portfolio makes it even more difficult to attract new members. I believe our club is at a turning point. Our meeting attendance both on Zoom and in person has declined substantially. Even with better presentations and raffle prizes the attendance has not improved. I ask those that have not volunteered before to be on the board or other positions, consider stepping up to the challenge.



Howard, W6FL

Let's review the positions that will need to be filled to keep the club going. President, Vice President, Treasurer/Membership, Secretary, and 2 Directors. In addition, we will need a new Newsletter Editor. The consequence of not having the positions filled impacts the future of our organization. Elections are held at the November meeting. Anyone interested in a position please email either me or N6QQ.

Looking forward to FT4GL (Glorioso Is) DX Expedition starting 24th May. Hope we do not have any major storms that impact the propagation. Glorioso will be an ATNO for many including me.

Till next month Best of DX.  
73 and Good DXing!  
Howard W6FL  
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## June Calendar

June 8	GACW WWSA CW DX Contest
June 8	ARRL June VHF Contest
June 13	<u>No Club Meeting</u>
June 15	<u>No June Picnic</u>
June 15	All Asian DX Contest, CW
June 15	Pajajaran Bogor DX Contest, SSB
June 15	Stew Perry Top Band Challenge
June 22	His Maj. King of Spain Contest, SSB
June 22	Ukraine DX DIGI Contest
June 22	ARRL Field Day

For more contest Info see: [www.contestcalendar.com](http://www.contestcalendar.com)

## VP Corner June 2024

### John Schroeder, N6QQ

#### Greetings from John, N6QQ

#### LOTW is Down

Information Technology Manager Michael Keane, K1MK, is reporting that the Logbook of The World (LoTW) system is currently down for maintenance. "With the system temporarily down, radio amateurs are not able to access LoTW or upload their logs," Keane explained.

"No data has been lost, and everyone's records are intact. We understand the problem and we are in the process of restoring service to LoTW, but we don't know when that will happen. Since both the Logbook of The World service and the Online DXCC service are connected to the ARRL Awards System, radio amateurs are not able to access either service until the system is restored. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause, and want to assure the amateur community that the ARRL is working diligently to restore service to these popular programs."

This information is from ARRL. Some believe someone has hack into the ARRL site.

#### Solar Storm

I was watching the A index during the our last solar storm. Normal reading is 2 to 8. One day it hit over 100. Bands sure when dead for a while. This was the largest solar storm since 2004. Northern lights made it down into Florida and to Oregon on the West Coast.

It was fun watching the CNN news -- some climate experts claim the solar storm was caused by our earth pollution.

See everyone at our July meeting.

73 -- John, N6QQ

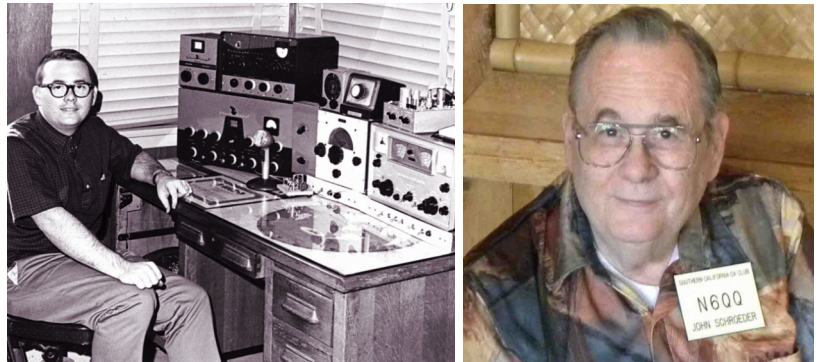
ARRL - CQ QSL Card Checker

<https://www.qrz.com/lookup/n6qq>

73 de John, N6QQ

Vice President, SCDXC

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***Every DXpedition is the WORST EVER....  
UNTIL IT'S IN YOUR LOG***



# Rumors on the Band

June brings at least one ATNO for many members. Remember to work Glorioso! We expect to see a few #1 Honor Rolls out of this one. The one way ticket to North Korea still stands for anyone who can get a license and operate from there. You have to upload your logs real time... in case you don't come back!

QTH	Call	Start Date	End Date	Information
Glorioso	FT4GL	Now	19-Jun	FH4VVK HF
Mozambique	C91AHV	1-Jun	15-Jun	CT7AHV 40-6m CW SSB FT8
Lord Howe Island	VK9LA	14-Jun	24-Jun	160-10m CW SSB FT8
Maldives	8Q7JF	16-Jun	29-Jun	DL6JF HF CW DIGI
Tanzania	5H3DX	18-Jun	30-Jun	MK8O HF CW DIGI
Minami Torishima	JG8NQJ/JD1	20-Jun	20-Jul	JG8NQJ HF CW FT8
American Samoa	K8K	26-Jun	9-Jul	160-10m CW SSB FT8

## CADXA Most Wanted DXCC Entities

## ClubLog Most Wanted DXCC Ranking

ClubLog Most Wanted						
2023			2022			
#	Pfx	Entity	#	Pfx	Entity	Delta
1	P5	DPRK (NORTH KOREA)	1	P5	DPRK (NORTH KOREA)	1
2	BS7H	SCARBOROUGH REEF	2	3Y/B	BOUVET ISLAND	11 (↓ 9)
3	CE0X	SAN FELIX ISLANDS	3	FT5/W	CROZET ISLAND	31 (↓ 28)
4	BV9P	PRATAS ISLAND	4	BS7H	SCARBOROUGH REEF	2 (↑ 2)
5	KH7K	KURE ISLAND	5	CE0X	SAN FELIX ISLANDS	3 (↑ 2)
6	KH3	JOHNSTON ISLAND	6	BV9P	PRATAS ISLAND	4 (↑ 2)
7	FT/G	GLORIOSO ISLAND	7	KH7K	KURE ISLAND	5 (↑ 2)
8	3Y/P	PETER 1 ISLAND	8	KH3	JOHNSTON ISLAND	6 (↑ 2)
9	FT5/X	KERGUELEN ISLAND	9	FT/G	GLORIOSO ISLAND	7 (↑ 2)
10	YV0	AVES ISLAND	10	FT5/X	KERGUELEN ISLAND	9 (↑ 1)
11	3Y/B	BOUVET ISLAND	11	3Y/P	PETER 1 ISLAND	8 (↑ 3)
12	ZS8	PRINCE EDWARD & MARION ISLANDS	12	YV0	AVES ISLAND	10 (↑ 2)
13	KH4	MIDWAY ISLAND	13	VK0M	MACQUARIE ISLAND	14 (↓ 1)
14	VK0M	MACQUARIE ISLAND	14	SV/A	MOUNT ATHOS	33 (↓ 19)
15	PY0S	SAINT PETER AND PAUL ROCKS	15	ZS8	PRINCE EDWARD & MARION ISLANDS	12 (↑ 3)
16	PY0T	TRINIDADE & MARTIM VAZ ISLANDS	16	KH4	MIDWAY ISLAND	13 (↑ 3)
17	KP5	DESECHEO ISLAND	17	EZ	TURKMENISTAN	23 (↓ 6)
18	VP8S	SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS	18	PY0S	SAINT PETER AND PAUL ROCKS	15 (↑ 3)
19	KH5	PALMYRA & JARVIS ISLANDS	19	PY0T	TRINIDADE & MARTIM VAZ ISLANDS	16 (↑ 3)
20	ZL9	NEW ZEALAND SUBANTARCTIC ISLANDS	20	VP8S	SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS	18 (↑ 2)
21	FK/C	CHESTERFIELD ISLANDS	21	KP5	DESECHEO ISLAND	17 (↑ 4)
22	VK0H	HEARD ISLAND	22	YK	SYRIA	25 (↓ 3)
23	EZ	TURKMENISTAN	23	KH5	PALMYRA & JARVIS ISLANDS	19 (↑ 4)
24	FT/T	TROMELIN ISLAND	24	JD/M	MINAMI TORISHIMA	34 (↓ 10)
25	YK	SYRIA	25	XF4	REVILLAGIGEDO	29 (↓ 4)
26	ZL8	KERMADEC ISLAND	26	KH1	BAKER HOWLAND ISLANDS	30 (↓ 4)
27	KH8/S	SWAINS ISLAND	27	ZL9	NEW ZEALAND SUBANTARCTIC ISLANDS	20 (↑ 7)
28	VP8G	SOUTH GEORGIA ISLAND	28	FK/C	CHESTERFIELD ISLANDS	21 (↑ 7)
29	XF4	REVILLAGIGEDO	29	FT/T	TROMELIN ISLAND	24 (↑ 5)
30	KH1	BAKER HOWLAND ISLANDS	30	VK0H	HEARD ISLAND	22 (↑ 8)
31	FT5/W	CROZET ISLAND	31	T31	CENTRAL KIRIBATI	54 (↓ 23)
32	KH9	WAKE ISLAND	32	VP8G	SOUTH GEORGIA ISLAND	28 (↑ 4)
33	SV/A	MOUNT ATHOS	33	ZL8	KERMADEC ISLAND	26 (↑ 7)
34	JD/M	MINAMI TORISHIMA	34	KH8/S	SWAINS ISLAND	27 (↑ 7)
35	VK9M	MELLISH REEF	35	KH9	WAKE ISLAND	32 (↑ 3)
36	FT/J	JUAN DE NOVA, EUROPA	36	VK9M	MELLISH REEF	35 (↑ 1)
37	FO/C	CLIPPERTON ISLAND	37	CY0	SABLE ISLAND	73 (↓ 36)
38	Ti9	COCOS ISLAND	38	FT/J	JUAN DE NOVA, EUROPA	36 (↑ 2)
39	HK0/M	MALPELO ISLAND	39	Ti9	COCOS ISLAND	38 (↑ 1)
40	KP1	NAVASSA ISLAND	40	3D2/C	CONWAY REEF	50 (↓ 10)
41	VK9W	WILLIS ISLAND	41	VK9W	WILLIS ISLAND	41 =
42	FT5Z	AMSTERDAM & ST PAUL ISLANDS	42	HK0/M	MALPELO ISLAND	39 (↑ 3)
43	H40	TEMOTU PROVINCE	43	KP1	NAVASSA ISLAND	40 (↑ 3)
44	7O	YEMEN	44	H40	TEMOTU PROVINCE	43 (↑ 1)
45	ZD9	TRISTAN DA CUNHA & GOUGH ISLANDS	45	FO/C	CLIPPERTON ISLAND	37 (↑ 8)
46	VP8O	SOUTH ORKNEY ISLANDS	46	T33	BANABA ISLAND	57 (↓ 11)
47	XZ	MYANMAR	47	VP8O	SOUTH ORKNEY ISLANDS	46 (↑ 1)
48	ZK3	TOKELAU ISLANDS	48	5A	LIBYA	87 (↓ 39)
49	3C0	ANNOBON	49	XZ	MYANMAR	47 (↑ 2)
50	3D2/C	CONWAY REEF	50	FT5Z	AMSTERDAM & ST PAUL ISLANDS	42 (↑ 8)

## DX Standings

Thanks to everyone who sent in their latest standings. We hope that everyone worked FT4GL on many bands. We expect in the near future a couple of members achieving #1 Honor Roll with this rare entity!

If you are a new member please join ClubLog and then sign up for the Southern California DX Club. If you need help email me. Send any updates to:

[N6RV@SCDXC.org](mailto:N6RV@SCDXC.org)

### SCDXC WAZ and DXCC Standings

The first WAZ column is the confirmed zone count on 10 bands 160 - 6 (less 60 meters). The second column is the regular 5BWAZ confirmed count. The following are the codes that follow the two columns and indicate the awards:

M	Mixed
P	Phone
C	CW
R	RTTY

SCDXC Lifetime Standings									
Rank	Call	Current	Total	Slots	Rank	Call	Current	Total	Slots
1	W6KH	340	389		47	N6VNI	312	314	1541
2	JA1BK	340	383	3242	48	N6WT	311	311	1584
3	K6YRA	340	378	2278	49	W6HB	311	311	1029
4	OH2BH	340	378		50	N6PM	299	300	2000
5	N0FW	340	372	2978	51	N6GP	299	314	1851
6	K6YUI	340	366	2610	52	K6IRD	292	302	649
7	NS6C	340	361	2633	53	W6ZL	287	291	1074
8	W6SR	340	359	2778	54	WA6HXM	275	275	
9	K6FG	340	357	2786	55	WA6WXD	274	274	
10	K5KT	340	355		56	K6VC	264	267	
11	W8DX	340	353	2456	57	K0XP	250	249	973
12	W6TK	340	351	1781	58	N6AA	247	247	2442
13	N6HC	340	349	2408	59	W6KC	246	248	743
14	W6KK	340	349	2066	60	NE6V	239	239	1037
15	K6ND	340	348	2861	61	K6JEY	234	234	
16	WA5VGI	340	348	2798	62	N6HE	229	238	746
17	KJ6Y	340	348	1439	63	N6VOH	222	251	
18	N6PEQ	340	347	2056	64	W6YLZ	219	220	
19	WA6WZO	339	357	2456	65	N6AV	212	212	
20	N6RV	339	356	2522	66	K6AFW	204	204	917
21	N6QQ	339	356	2353	67	WB6DJI	200	200	589
22	N6WS	339	351	2658	68	AA6DW	196	202	402
23	K6RO	339	348	2484	69	N6LL	169	169	
24	W6TJI	338	355		70	W6GA	169	168	
25	W6IRD	338	354		71	KC6TOD	166	166	
26	W6RW	338	352	2479	72	KK6M	162	192	
27	W6FL	338	352	1644	73	K9TAD	163	163	238
28	N6HY	338	346	2294	74	K6FOD	154	154	
29	N6MG	338	338		75	W6QE	149	149	365
30	N6RW	337	372	2506	76	K6DW	147	147	
31	W6OU	337	356	1613	77	WC2S	146	146	
32	N6IC	336	347		78	AB9A	141	141	224
33	N6AX	336	322	1826	79	NZ6L	137	178	158
34	K6JW	335	341	1371	80	N6CA	133	133	386
35	N7NR	335	354	2686	81	K6NGO	130	130	
36	SM5GMZ	335	346	2454	82	KN6ZZI	125	125	314
37	K4ST	335	339	2065	83	WD6Y	125	125	274
38	K2IXQ	334	339	1796	84	K6BBC	103	117	216
39	N6MXU	333	337	1802	85	N6YQ	100	128	
40	W6SW	331	339	540	86	WA6MEM	100	100	
41	K6SY	331	337	1158	87	W6CCC	95	95	211
42	W6DR	331	336	2109	88	W6MPB	61	61	
43	N6AX	330	336	1826	89	K6LAC	46	46	
44	AA6PW	330	331	1785	90	K6YIC	43	43	92
45	NK6A	313	316	957	91	NY6Y	28	28	
46	N6DHZ	312	318	1535	92	KJ6YL	14	14	

WAZ Standings				
Rank	Call	11B	5B	Awards
1	N0FW	424	200	M/P/C/R/5
2	K6ND	415	200	M/5
3	WA5VGI	416	200	M/P/C/R/5
4	N6WS	414	200	M/P/C/R/5
5	W6SR	384	200	M/P/C/5
6	K6FG	376	200	M/P/C/R/5
7	NS6C	369	200	M/P/C/R/5
8	W8DX	357	200	M/5
9	N6AW	355	200	M/P/C/5
10	K6YUI	353	200	M/P/C/R/5
11	W6RW	344	200	M/P/C/5
12	K6YRA	337	200	P/5
13	W6TK	369	198	
14	N6HY	365	196	M/P/C
15	N6RW	408	198	
16	N6WT	385	195	
17	N6RV	383	195	
18	K6RO	379	195	M/P/C
19	W6FL	253	195	
20	N6PM	374	193	
21	N6QQ	343	189	
22	N6PEQ	338	188	
23	W6DR	348	187	
24	W6OU	307	186	
25	N6GP	313	185	
26	K4ST	310	185	
27	W6KK	307	185	
28	N6DHZ	295	182	
29	AA6PW	298	181	
30	N6VNI	291	181	
31	K6SY	299	178	
32	KJ6Y	237	173	
33	N6HE	253	168	
34	W6ZL	253	166	M/P/C/R
35	K6JW	244	158	
36	NK6A	290	157	
37	W6KC	217	156	
38	W6YLZ	151	288	
39	K7MY	258	159	
40	N6MG	241	150	
41	NE6V	256	149	
42	K6AFW	218	149	
43	KK6M	173	140	
44	K0XP	171	140	
45	K6IRD	220	130	
46	W6SW	154	126	M/P
47	W6IRD	102	112	
48	WD6Y	163	104	
49	K6VC	145	96	
50	K6DW	143	118	
51	WC2S	201	115	
52	K6NGO	191	110	
53	K6FOD	160	106	
54	KN6ZZI	123	97	
55	K9TAD	110	96	
56	NZ6L	104	82	
57	N6HC	17	13	
58	WB6DJI	11	8	

Look what we got for the 2026 IDXC Grand Prize!  
It is stealthy, folding over so your neighbors won't see it!  
And Committee Members can win it as well!





# 2024 Get Schroeder Contest

1A0	4S	7Q	A3	CE9	E7	FK	GI	HS	KH0	LZ	PJ7	T2	TY	VK9L	VU4	YV0
1S	4U1ITU	7X	A4	CN	EA	FK/C	GJ	HV	KH1	OA	PY	T30	TZ	VK9M	VU7	Z2
3A	4U1UN	8P	A5	CO	EA6	FM	GM	HZ	KH2	OD	PY0F	T31	UA	VK9N	XE	Z3
3B7	4W	8Q	A6	CP	EA8	FO	GU	I	KH3	OE	PY0S	T32	UA0	VK9W	XF4	Z6
3B8	4X	8R	A7	CT	EA9	FO/A	GW	IS0	KH4	OH	PY0T	T33	UA2	VK9X	XT	Z8
3B9	5A	9A	A9	CT3	EI	FO/C	H4	J2	KH5	OH0	PZ	T5	UJ	VP0G	XU	ZA
3C	5B	9G	AP	CU	EK	FO/M	H40	J3	KH6	OJ0	R1F	T7	UN	VP0S	XW	ZB2
3C0	5H	9H	BS7H	CX	EL	FP	HA	J5	KH7K	OK	S0	T8	UR	VP2E	XX9	ZC4
3D2	5N	9J	BU	CY0	EP	FR	HB	J6	KH8	OM	S2	TA	V2	VP2M	XZ	ZD7
3D2/C	5R	9K	BV9P	CY9	ER	FS	HB0	J7	KH8/S	ON	S5	TF	V3	VP2V	YA	ZD8
3D2/R	5T	9L	BY	D2	ES	FT/G	HC	J8	KH9	OX	S7	TG	V4	VP5	YB	ZD9
3DA	5U	9M2	C21	D4	ET	FT/J	HC8	JA	KL7	OY	S9	TI	V5	VP6	YI	ZF
3V	5V7	9M6	C31	D6	EU	FT/T	HH	JD/M	KP1	OZ	SM	TI9	V6	VP6/D	YJ	ZK3
3W	5W	9N	C5	DL	EX	FT5/W	HI	JD/O	KP2	P2	SP	TJ	V7	VP8	YK	ZL
3XA	5X	9Q	C6A	DU	EY	FT5/X	HK	JT	KP4	P4	ST	TK	V8	VP8H	YL	ZL7
3Y/B	5Z	9U	C9	E3	EZ	FT5Z	HK0/M	JW	KP5	P5	SU	TL	VE	VP8O	YN	ZL8
3Y/P	6W	9V	CE	E4	F	FW	HK0S	JX	LA	PA	SV	TN	VK	VP9	YO	ZL9
4J	6Y	9X	CE0X	E5/N	FG	FY	HL	JY	LU	PJ2	SV/A	TR	VK0H	VQ9	YS	ZP
4L	70	9Y	CE0Y	E5/S	FH	G	HP	K	LX	PJ4	SV5	TT	VK0M	VR	YT	ZS
4O	7P	A2	CE0Z	E6	FJ	GD	HR	KG4	LY	PJ5	SV9	TU	VK9C	VU	YV	ZS8

Chart Legend	
White / Green	Entity Worked This Year by a Member
Black / White	Very Active Entity Not Yet Worked
Black / Blue	Entity with Announced DXpedition
Black / Yellow	Rarely Active Entity Not Yet Worked
Black / Red	Inactive Entity
	Deleted Entity

2024 Get Schroeder Leaders			
2024 Total Entities Worked			268
2023 Total Entities Worked			294
2024 Entities Worked by SCDXC			260
2023 SCDXC Entities Worked			294
2024 Entities Worked by SCDXC Members in SoCal			253
2023 Entities Worked by SCDXC Members in SoCal			280
2024 ClubLog Leaders Entities Worked			268
2023 ClubLog Leaders Entities Worked			294
2024 SCDXC Leader (K6ND)			282
2023 ClubLog Leader (IK0OZD)			284

Rank	Call	Entities	Last Mo.	Last Yr	Leader	-Tot	-Q	Uniques
1	K6ND	250	5	-18	4	10	-86	2
2	N0FW	249	24	-32	3	11	-85	2
3	K6RO	246	5	-32	0	14	-82	1
4	N6WT	245	7	-28	-1	15	-81	0
5	N6RW	242	7	-28	-4	18	-78	0
6	WA5VGI	236	6	-21	-10	24	-72	0
7	N56C	235	9	-26	-11	25	-71	0
8	N6RV	233	9	-46	-13	27	-69	0
9	W6TK	223	7	-54	-23	37	-59	0
10	W6OU	214	3	-29	-32	46	-50	0
11	K6AFW	212	10	-17	-34	48	-48	1
12	N6WS	196	8	-77	-50	64	-32	0
13	W6DR	178	11	-70	-68	82	-14	0
14	N6QQ	164	12	-83	-82	96	0	0
15	KN6ZZI	160	8	160	-86	100	4	0
16	N6AV	158	9	109	-88	102	6	0
17	N6PM	151	6	-77	-95	109	13	0
18	N6DZH	145	6	-56	-101	115	19	0
19	N6MG	144	6	-7	-102	116	20	0
20	N6GP	140	28	-53	-106	120	24	0
21	W6SR	137	4	43	-109	123	27	0
22	WC2S	126	33	-13	-120	134	38	0
23	W6ZL	122	9	-73	-124	138	42	0
24	K7MY	121	0	-38	-125	139	43	0
25	NK6A	118	9	-25	-128	142	46	0
26	K0XP	116	0	-78	-130	144	48	0
27	W8DX	115	13	-85	-131	145	49	0
28	WB6DJI	106	0	-35	-140	154	58	0

## ClubLog Worked Not SCDXC

3B7 KH8 VP0G  
5V7 ST VP8H  
9Q SV/A VU4

## SCDXC Worked Not ClubLog

SCDXC Get Schroeder Standings 2024																
Rank	Call	160	80	60	40	30	20	17	15	12	10	6	Total	Slots		
1	K6ND	41	33	17	68	78	117	88	84	74	98	4	250	702	33	
2	N0FW	76	79	50	140	139	158	142	172	167	198	20	249	1341	28	
3	K6RO	5	51	35	154	114	199	191	212	197	207	22	246	1387	36	
4	N6WT	7	9	4	39	45	111	70	118	82	120	14	245	619	10	
5	N6RW	36	##	92	155	185	210	182	201	198	199	38	242	1597	66	
6	WA5VGI	7	12	35	36	76	83	82	109	90	112	2	236	644	40	
7	N56C	3	9	0	35	70	101	57	101	123	87	20	235	606	67	
8	N6RV	1	32	2	119	57	145	49	157	65	141	27	233	795	56	
9	W6TK	6	21	3	78	102	131	153	181	170	165	4	223	1014	67	
10	W6OU	0	0	36	21	41	65	57	61	58	52	2	214	393	61	
11	K6AFW	0	1	3	80	118	111	111	125	122	120	0	212	791	32	
12	N6WS	3	12	5	33	20	51	51	71	62	65	22	196	395	60	
13	W6DR	8	48	50	92	73	85	53	75	65	109	6	178	664	54	
14	N6QQ	0	0	0	7	37	101	60	97	69	95	10	164	476	67	
15	KN6ZZI	0	0	0	33	0	113	27	114	53	116	0	160	456	1	
16	N6AV	0	0	0	59	84	86	89	54	64	68	0	158	504	2	
17	N6PM	7	16	19	44	69	27	30	45	43	62	0	151	362	30	
18	N6DZH	0	18	0	34	3	84	17	105	25	104	0	145	390	36	
19	N6MG	2	26	0	35	24	71	23	63	78	105	1	144	428	47	
20	N6GP	0	0	0	2	3	7	1	37	58	91	9	140	208	36	
21	W6SR	0	0	0	2	0	86	2	91	10	98	10	137	299	57	
22	WC2S	0	0	0	5	14	30	36	68	42	48	1	126	244	7	
23	W6ZL	0	2	0	24	3	67	13	90	32	91	0	122	322	32	
24	K7MY	0	19	0	15	44	0	37	74	41	60	1	121	291	47	
25	NK6A	0	0	0	1	1	51	4	47	4	106	0	118	214	79	
26	K0XP	27	11	0	87	20	23	17	29	24	24	0	116	262	17	
27	W8DX	0	0	0	0	0	20	21	22	22	75	1	115	161	67	
28	WB6DJI	0	0	0	68	5	62	1	48	1	63	6	106	254	31	
29	K16BTY	0	12	11	40	27	35	29	42	39	54	2	94	291	2	
30	K6NGO	0	6	1	21	12	21	19	33	17	39	1	78	170	4	
31	AA6DW	0	0	0	5	6	9	12	23	33	22	8	70	118	37	
32	NA6Q	0	2	0	6	5	20	4	30	15	38	0	67	120	7	
33	K6FG	3	11	0	0	50	7	14	0	1	6	0	66	92	68	
34	K6DW	0	0	0	29	0	33	0	38	0	31	1	63	132	17	
35	W6FL	0	4	1	1	8	7	7	14	10	11	24	55	87	64	
36	K6JW	0	11	0	8	2	22	9	25	15	6	1	52	99	65	
37	K6FOD	1	2	0	9	7	8	8	11	9	12	0	42	67	6	
38	W6VYZ	0	0	0	0	3	13	8	8	13	2	6	40	53	36	
39	W6KK	1	14	0	11	14	2	0	3	1	7	2	36	55	29	
40	KK6M	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	20	8	5	0	29	35	45	
41	K9TAD	0	0	1	1	1	11	0	11	0	10	1	27	36	17	
42	WD6Y	0	3	0	3	1	4	5	3	8	8	0	23	35	24	
43	N6PEQ	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	4	0	5	8	38	

We hope everyone is enjoying the hobby. Are you active? Are you still interested in DXing? Sure, there always is a always a contingent that are very active. Shouldn't it be and contingent that is very inactive and a majority that is very active?

Last meeting we heard again the out lash of a member afflicted with DDS (Digital Derangement Syndrome). It isn't that someone does not like FT8, or FT4 but they are so incensed by it they have to attack it and, in a very real sense, attack those who operate these modes. Why is it necessary to not only dislike a thing but ascribe a lower status to those who do? When we look back a few years ago, before the new digital modes, the bands were dead. During the 60s, 70s, 80s it was impossible to find an open spot to call CQ. A few years ago you could pick your spot. Along comes JT65 then FT8 and you cannot find an open spot in that 4 KHz bandwidth... and the rest of the band is still virtually empty. Why? Mostly because it took a pretty good set up to work DX. Now a dipole and 100 watts is sufficient to work the world. It is attracting more people! So, why does anyone oppose something that enables others to enjoy what we have enjoyed for years? Is it our own personal purview?

# What Did We Really Work?

This is the second month with a low turn out! We worked 70 entities! This is the best propagation in decades! One jewel stands out. FT4GL, Glorioso, has been very active and worked by many members of several bands. Some have worked him on 5 bands! Of course, he is mostly running FT8. His phone pile ups are 100 KHz wide! Unfortunately, the lids have discouraged him and he retreats to the mode where it is nearly impossible to be jammed. Also, there are fewer callers on FT8 and he can push out 300 Qs an hour. Many phone ops are technically deficient.

		Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
Entity	Prefix	254	210	215	188	59	70
MONACO	3A	1	1	1	0	1	0
MAURITIUS ISLAND	3B8	1	1	1	1	0	0
RODRIGUEZ ISLAND	3B9	1	1	1	0	0	0
FIJI ISLANDS	3D2	1	1	1	1	0	1
CONWAY REEF	3D2/C	1	0	0	0	1	1
KINGDOM OF ESWATINI	3DA	1	1	1	0	0	0
TUNISIA	3V	1	1	0	1	0	0
VIET NAM	3W	1	1	1	1	0	1
AZERBAIJAN	4J	1	1	1	1	0	1
GEORGIA	4L	1	1	1	1	1	0
MONTENEGRO	4O	1	1	1	1	0	0
SRI LANKA	4S	1	1	1	1	1	0
UNITED NATIONS HQ	4U1UN	1	0	1	1	0	0
TIMOR-LESTE	4W	1	0	0	1	0	0
ISRAEL	4X	1	1	1	1	0	0
LIBYA	5A	1	1	1	0	0	0
CYPRUS	5B	1	1	1	1	0	0
TANZANIA	5H	1	1	1	1	0	0
MADAGASCAR	5R	1	1	1	0	0	0
SAMOA	5W	1	1	1	1	0	0
UGANDA	5X	1	0	1	0	0	0
KENYA	5Z	1	1	1	1	0	0
SENEGAL	6W	1	0	1	1	0	0
JAMAICA	6Y	1	1	1	1	0	0
YEMEN	7O	1	1	1	0	0	0
LESOTHO	7P	1	0	1	1	1	0
MALAWI	7Q	1	1	1	1	0	0
ALGERIA	7X	1	1	1	0	1	1
BARBADOS	8P	1	1	1	1	0	0
MALDIVES	8Q	1	1	0	0	1	1
GUYANA	8R	1	0	1	1	0	0
CROATIA	9A	1	1	1	1	0	1
GHANA	9G	1	1	1	1	0	0
MALTA	9H	1	1	1	1	0	0
ZAMBIA	9J	1	1	1	0	0	0
KUWAIT	9K	1	1	1	1	0	0
WEST MALAYSIA	9M2	1	1	1	1	0	1
EAST MALAYSIA	9M6	1	1	1	1	0	0
NEPAL	9N	1	1	1	0	0	0
SINGAPORE	9V	1	1	1	1	0	0
RWANDA	9X	1	0	0	0	0	1
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO	9Y	1	1	1	1	0	0
BOTSWANA	A2	1	1	1	0	0	0
TONGA	A3	1	1	1	1	0	0
OMAN	A4	1	1	1	1	0	0
BHUTAN	A5	1	0	0	0	1	1
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	A6	1	1	1	1	0	0
QATAR	A7	1	1	0	1	0	0
BAHRAIN	A9	1	1	1	1	0	0
PAKISTAN	AP	1	1	1	1	1	0
TAIWAN	BU	1	1	1	1	0	1
CHINA	BY	1	1	1	1	1	1
NAURU	C21	1	1	1	0	1	0
ANDORRA	C31	1	1	1	1	0	0
BAHAMAS	C6A	1	1	1	1	0	0
MOZAMBIQUE	C9	1	0	0	1	0	1
CHILE	CE	1	1	1	1	1	1
EASTER ISLAND	CE0Y	1	1	1	1	1	1
JUAN FERNANDEZ ISLANDS	CE0Z	1	0	1	1	0	0
ANTARCTICA	CE9	1	1	1	1	0	0
MOROCCO	CN	1	1	1	1	0	0
CUBA	CO	1	1	1	1	0	0
BOLIVIA	CP	1	1	1	1	0	0
PORTUGAL	CT	1	1	1	1	0	0
MADEIRA ISLANDS	CT3	1	1	1	1	0	0
AZORES	CU	1	1	1	1	0	0
URUGUAY	CX	1	1	1	1	0	1
ANGOLA	D2	1	1	1	0	0	0
CAPE VERDE	D4	1	1	1	1	0	0
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY	DL	1	1	1	1	0	1
PHILIPPINES	DU	1	1	1	1	0	0
NORTH COOK ISLANDS	E5/N	1	1	0	0	0	0
SOUTH COOK ISLANDS	E5/S	1	1	1	0	0	0
NIUE	E6	1	0	0	0	1	0
BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA	E7	1	1	1	1	0	0
SPAIN	EA	1	1	1	1	1	0
BALEARIC ISLANDS	EA6	1	1	1	1	0	0
CANARY ISLANDS	EA8	1	1	1	1	0	0
CEUTA & MELILLA	EA9	1	1	1	1	0	0
IRELAND	EI	1	1	1	1	0	0
ARMENIA	EK	1	1	1	1	1	0
LIBERIA	EL	1	1	1	1	1	1
IRAN	EP	1	1	1	1	0	0
MOLDOVA	ER	1	1	1	1	0	0
ESTONIA	ES	1	1	1	0	0	0
ETHIOPIA	ET	1	1	1	0	0	0
BELARUS	EU	1	1	1	1	0	0
KYRGYZSTAN	EX	1	1	1	1	1	1
TAJIKISTAN	EY	1	1	1	1	0	1
TURKMENISTAN	EZ	1	0	0	0	0	1
FRANCE	F	1	1	1	1	0	1
GUADELOUPE	FG	1	1	1	1	0	1
MAYOTTE	FH	1	1	1	0	0	1
SAINT BARTHELEMY	FJ	1	0	1	0	0	0
NEW CALEDONIA	FK	1	1	1	1	1	0
MARTINIQUE	FM	1	1	1	1	0	0
FRENCH POLYNESIA	FO	1	1	1	0	0	0
AUSTRAL ISLANDS	FO/A	1	0	0	0	1	1
CLIPPERTON ISLAND	FO/C	1	1	1	1	1	0
MARQUESAS ISLANDS	FO/M	1	1	1	0	0	0
REUNION ISLAND	FR	1	1	1	0	0	1
SAINT MARTIN	FS	1	1	0	1	0	0
GLORIOSO	FT/G	1	0	0	0	0	1
WALLIS & FUTUNA ISLANDS	FW	1	1	1	1	0	0
FRENCH GUIANA	FY	1	1	1	1	0	0
ENGLAND	G	1	1	1	1	0	1
ISLE OF MAN	GD	1	1	1	1	0	1
NORTHERN IRELAND	GI	1	1	1	1	0	0
JERSEY	GJ	1	1	1	0	0	0
SCOTLAND	GM	1	1	1	1	0	0
GUERNSEY	GU	1	1	1	0	0	1
WALES	GW	1	1	1	1	0	0
SOLOMON ISLANDS	H4	1	0	0	1	1	0
TEMOTU PROVINCE	H40	1	0	1	1	0	0
HUNGARY	HA	1	1	1	1	0	1
SWITZERLAND	HB	1	1	1	1	1	0
LIECHTENSTEIN	HB0	1	1	1	0	0	0
ECUADOR	HC	1	1	1	1	0	0
GALAPAGOS ISLANDS	HC8	1	0	0	1	1	0
HAITI	HH	1	1	1	1	0	0
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	HI	1	1	1	1	0	1
COLOMBIA	HK	1	1	1	1	1	1
SAN ANDRES ISLAND	HK0S	1	0	0	0	1	0
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	HL	1	1	1	1	1	0
PANAMA	HP	1	1	0	1	0	0
HONDURAS	HR	1	1	1	0	0	0
THAILAND	HS	1	1	1	1	0	0
VATICAN CITY	HV	1	0	0	1	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA	HZ	1	1	1	1	0	0
ITALY	I	1	1	1	1	1	1
SARDINIA	ISO	1	1	1	0	0	0
DJIBOUTI	J2	1	1	0	0	0	0
GRENADA	J3	1	1	1	1	0	0
GUINEA-BISSAU	J5	1	0	1	0	0	0
SAINT LUCIA	J6	1	1	1	1	0	0
DOMINICA	J7	1	1	1	0	0	0
SAINT VINCENT	J8	1	1	1	1	0	0
JAPAN	JA	1	1	1	1	1	1
MINAMI TORISHIMA	JD/M	1	0	1	0	1	0
OGASAWARA	JD/O	1	1	1	1	1	1
MONGOLIA	JT	1	1	1	1	0	0
SVALBARD	JW	1	1	0	1	0	0
JORDAN	JY	1	1	1	1	0	0
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	K	1	1	1	1	1	1
MARIANA ISLANDS	KH0	1	1	1	1	0	0
GUAM	KH2	1	1	1	0	0	0
HAWAII	KH6	1	1	1	1	0	1
WAKE ISLAND	KH9	1	0	1	0	0	0
ALASKA	KL7	1	1	1	1	0	1
US VIRGIN ISLANDS	KP2	1	1	1	1	0	0
PUERTO RICO	KP4	1	1	1	1	0	0
NORWAY	LA	1	1	1	1	0	1
ARGENTINA	LU	1	1	1	1	0	1
LUXEMBOURG	LX	1	1	1	1	0	0
LITHUANIA	LY	1	1	1	1	0	0
BULGARIA	LZ	1	1	1	1	1	1
PERU	OA	1	1	1	1	0	0
LEBANON	OD	1	1	1	1	0	0
AUSTRIA	OE	1	1	1	1	0	0
FINLAND	OH	1	1	1	1	0	1
ALAND ISLANDS	OH0	1	0	1	1	0	0
MARKET REEF	OJ0	1	0	0	0	0	1
CZECH REPUBLIC	OK	1	1	1	1	0	0
SLOVAK REPUBLIC	OM	1	1	1	1	0	0
BELGIUM	ON	1	1	1	1	0	0
GREENLAND	OX	1	1	1	0	0	0
FAROE ISLANDS	OY	1	1	0	0	0	0
DENMARK	OZ	1	1	1	1	0	0
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	P2	1	0	1	0	0	0
ARUBA	P4	1	1	1	1	0	0
NETHERLANDS	PA	1	1	1	1	1	1
CURACAO	PJ2	1	1	1	1	1	0
BONAIRE	PJ4	1	1	1	1	0	0
SABA & ST EUSTATIUS	PJ5	1	1	1	1	0	0
SINT MAARTEN	PJ7	1	1	1	1	1	0
BRAZIL	PY	1	1	1	1	0	1
FERNANDO DE NORONHA	PY0F	1	0	0	1	0	0
SURINAME	PZ	1	1	1	1	0	0
WESTERN SAHARA	S0	1	1	1	1	0	0



## Who's on 6?

We had some more TEP this month and it concentrated on the Pacific. Most everyone picked up a few entities for the year. We were waiting on Conway Reef to show up but no joy! Also Easter Island did not make up to the West Coast.

Next month should be the start of the Sporadic E season. We already have had some double hop but it was sparse. Hopefully the high solar flux will not nix it! We really have not seen much in the way of F2 propagation. Maybe we will see it this fall.

Pfx	So Cal		At Lrg		Total		N6RW	N6RV	N6CA	W6FL	N6WS	K6RO	NS6C	N0FW	N6WT	W6SR	N6QQ	N6GP	AA6DW	WB6DJ	W6YLZ	W6DR	W6TK	K6ND	K6BTY	N6EV	W6KK	W6OU	WA5VGI	W8DX	N6MG	K7MY	WC2S	K6DW	K9TAD	K6NGO	K6JW	
	DX	QSOs	DX	QSOs	DX	QSOs																																
	38	216	44	32	290	2023																																
3B9	0	0	0	1	1	-11	-13	-35	13	-35	-15	-4	-15	-9	1	-11	-3	1	-11	-17	-14	-3	-8	-1	-5	3	1	-26		-11	-2	-9	0	0	-7	0	0	
3D2	1	5	1	1	6		0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3P	1	1	1	1	2		1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3K	1	1	0	1	1		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3Y	0	0	1	1	2		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CE	1	13	1	1	16		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CE0Y	0	0	1	1	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CE0Z	1	3	1	1	5		1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CO	1	1	1	1	3		1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CP	0	0	1	1	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CX	1	4	1	1	6		1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
D4	0	0	1	1	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
FG	0	0	1	1	2		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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VE	1	8	1	1	11		1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
VK	1	9	1	1	10		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
VK9N	1	8	1	1	9		1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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VP9	1	1	0	1	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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## Deleted ARRL DXCC Entities

This month we look at deleted entity #46 Newfoundland and Labrador.

Prefix	Entity	Cont	Zone	UTC	Location	Prefix
			ITU	CQ	+/- Lat Long	
PK1	Java	OC	54	28	7.5 6S	107E PK2-3
PK4	Sumatra	OC	54	28	7 1S	100E
PK5	Netherlands Borneo	OC	54	28	8 3S	115E
PK6	Celebe & Molucca Is	OC	54	28	8 5S	119E
ST0	Southern Sudan	AF	48	34	2 5N	32E
UN1	Karelo-Finnish Rep	EU	19	16	3 64N	32E
VO	Newfoundland, Labrador	NA	9	2, 0	-3.5 48N	53W
VQ1	Zanzibar	AF	53	37	3 7S	39E 5H1



### Newfoundland - Labrador

Newfoundland and Labrador was the first region on the North American continent visited by the Europeans. It was included in the tales of the Viking Sagas which indicated they landed there around 1000 A.D. It also was the first acquisition of England in the New World. Eventually it was recognized as one of the greatest sources in North America for fish and lumber. This made it a land of contention. The Basques had fishing colonies which were decimated. The French took Newfoundland exterminating all British settlers. There were several conflicts between the British, French, and Spaniards. After the end of the Revolutionary War there was a large influx of Irish migrating to North America. Many populated the coasts around the region and plied their trade, fishing. Those who migrated were mostly Catholic. This created an imbalance in the population. The British, who were Protestant at the time, were in political power in Ireland. The concern was that the Catholics (French, Irish, Portuguese and Spanish) would unite making it impossible for England to keep its foothold in the New World. The result was parliament conceding the Catholic emancipation, which in turn freed the Catholics in Newfoundland to participate in government. Since the majority were subjects of England, the region came under the rule of England. Eventually it became a self governing region in the empire, all of this because of fishing. This lasted through the 19th century and into the mid 20th century. After WWII there was referendum to make Newfoundland and Labrador part of Canada. It was agreeable by both England and Canada. The region became the tenth Canadian province on March 21, 1949, the date that Newfoundland– Labrador was deleted from DXCC List.






## Amateur Radio Operations

Just like other coastal communities NL had a sufficient number of hams in its day. These guys would be the equivalent of the bushy Alaskans of their time. I wonder how many died from polar bear attack.

Newfoundland Labrador	
C8AR	1926
C8AW	1926
8AF	1927
NE8AF	1927
NE8AE	1928
NE8RG	1928
VO8Z	1930
VO8MC	1931
VO1P	1934
VO8Y	1934
VO1I	1935
VO1C	1936
VO1J	1936
VO1N	1936
G8XY	1937
VO1K	1937
VO1Y	1937
VO3P	1937
VO4Y	1937
VO1W	1938
VO6D	1938
VO2AF	1946
VO2D	1946
VO2N	1946
VO4L	1946
VO4N	1946
W2KGW/VO	1946
VO1O	1947
VO2AK	1947
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VO1AD	1949
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VO2AQ	1949
VO2CO	1949
VO6J	1949



NEWFOUNDLAND  
**V01Y**  
HAROLD WELLS  
QRA 159 Pennywell Road  
St. John's, Nfld.

To Radio *WSKPA* Sure Glad to QSO at *4:00 P.M. NST. July 6, 1937*  
UR *CW* Sigs were R *3 s 7 T 2* On *157* MC Band  
XMTR *422 lat ooc 626 Buffer Doubt 157 wls 7 mals*  
RECYR Sky Challenger with XTAL and *110 watts output*  
Remarks *one at for 450 One qsl for is Mine 738 No*

FORT PEPPERRELL,  
NEW FOUNDLAND

V02AQ

P.O. BOX 5 P.M., NEW YORK CITY, N.Y.

Radio WFOB Confusing our communications of 10/24/39. m. N.Y.

25 April 1949. with many thanks.

Power 500 wts. ~~1000~~ Dexte Sig's, ~~200-000000~~

245 W. 87 St. Anti- *Radipol* Kewi Super Pro

see Enl. 22 *Beatty* Thomas, (Hutch)

RADIO 4<sup>th</sup> HER

Your Sigs CW

RST 599

TRANSMITTER

606-626  
10 W

Ant. W 8 JH  
Beam

RECEIVER/  
CONVERTER

+ R1155

**VO2AK**

This confirms QSO of Feb 10 1947 on 38000 KC  
REMARKS Tax Home (2000)  
(The Stepping Stone to Europe)

W. SPENCE, Ope., (VE9BX)

PUBLIC SCHOOLS EXPLORING SOCIETY  
NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITION, 1937.  
LAT. N.57°35. LONG. W.48°22.  
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TO RADIO. U8QKM TKS FOR QSO OF. 2914. AUG.  
AT. 1739. GMT YOUR SIGS RST. 5. 4. 9. ON. 11c. 11c. MC  
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150 WATTS.  
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OKTED, SURREY, ENGLAND

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**W.B.E**

RADIO 17.700 UR      REG. 3125 U-Y ON      194

**GANDER AIRPORT NEWFOUNDLAND**

*"the stepping stone to Europe"*



**VO2AL**

AMERICAN OVERSEAS AIRLINES—CONNECTING THE U.S.A. AND EUROPE

*de la*

GOOSE BAY - LABRADOR

**V06J**

Radio W2UNS Confirming Qso. of 14 Feb

At 2337Z UR. CW Sigs. 7m Q R. 5 S. 6 T. 9/237

XMTX 102.892.812 Receiver AR77

A. B. Stuart 7/3 Qsl. OM. EX - VE3AFJ

AMATEUR RADIO STATION c8-AR.

The PIONEER AMATEUR DX Station of Newfoundland.

QIA: Avalon House; St John's, Newfoundland.  
LOYAL REID, Owner and Chief Operator.

Receiver used here: O—V—/ Transmitter 120 watts input. Wave 46.6 meters

A R R L

c8-AR

I A R U

DX Worked:—England, France, Spain, Finland, Canada, U.S.A., Egypt, R.C.

True my fer ur QSO om. hear in little code and voice lots of times. Per card, please 7 QSL.

73 & hope QSO often, O. H.S. Cheers ok!

PARIS. HI.

Loyal Reid.

INDEPENDENT PRINT, GARTHWICH, N. S.

NEWFOUNDLAND  
12 STONEYHOUSE ST. CHURCHILL PARK. ST. JOHN'S.  
**V010**  
To WICNU Confirming QSO MAR 24<sup>th</sup> 1947 on 144 M C  
UR SIGS RST 589 ~~TXN~~ QSL R H (Red) WHITTEN  
Cdn. Jps Yks. Program. Revs. 72 Kds.

**VO6AN**  
GOOSE BAY, LABRADOR



**APO 677 BOX 8-PM. N.Y., N.Y.**

**NEWFOUNDLAND**  
124 Duckworth St. ST. JOHN'S P.O. Box E 5276

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N *OK Lawrence certainly glad to contact u.* A  
 A *hele and I send love 75% to the agn* R  
 R *for coming back hope e a g n soon.* R  
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P. O. Box 358, St. John's, Nfld. J. STEWART ELLIOTT *for*

To Radio G5JO Confirming QSO at 2100 GN  
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A. R. L.



## Tid Bits

### For Sale: ICOM IC-7300 (SN 02005611)

The ICOM IC-7300 is an all mode transceiver that incorporates coverage for all HF bands as well as 6 meters.

The radio is in mint cosmetic condition and has only been used in the shack. The firmware was updated on 7/17/2021 to v.1.41. Any available additional update(s) may be done by the owner. Full instructions for doing this are in the owner's manual. I have reset the radio to its factory defaults.

Included with the radio are a power cable, microphone, the original operator's manual, a factory CD with the manual, and the original carton.

On 5/1/2021 I replaced the internal, soldered-in clock battery with a replacement battery that fits into a holder I installed so that any future replacements will no longer require soldering. The only function of the battery is to run a clock on the display.

Price: \$800, cash only, firm, no trades. Local pickup in Palos Verdes preferred but will ship at nominal extra cost.

Contact Jeff, K6JW at [k6jw@scdxc.org](mailto:k6jw@scdxc.org) for further information.



### GAP Eagle Vertical Give Away

I have recently become inactive as a ham, and have given my equipment to the PAPA group, where I've been active for many years. I still have, however, a GAP Eagle six-band vertical antenna which has been good to me; I've counted 78 countries using it.

I would be happy to give away the antenna, and I hope you might have a member who would like it. It's about 20 feet long, but could be separated into two parts easily for transportation. I live in Culver City.

Thanks for anything you can do to publicize this.

David Dows KI6SAI  
[dows@usc.edu](mailto:dows@usc.edu)  
213 364-6135



## 2024 IDXC

Thanks to Bob Wilson, N6TV for his continuing support of the hobby and the convention. Over the years his photos has memorialized this great event. You can see all the photos at:

**2024 IDXC Photos By Bob N6TV**





Tid Bits





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# Resource Page

## Useful Sites

**N0HR DXpedition Map**  
[www.n0hr.com/wk34/](http://www.n0hr.com/wk34/)

**The DX Zone**  
[www.dxzone.com/catalog/DX\\_Resources/](http://www.dxzone.com/catalog/DX_Resources/)

**The Daily DX**  
[www.dailydx.com/](http://www.dailydx.com/)

**Announced DX Ops**  
[www.ng3k.com/misc/adxo.html](http://www.ng3k.com/misc/adxo.html)

**DXing.info**  
[/www.dxing.info/dxpeditions/](http://www.dxing.info/dxpeditions/)

**DX 425 News**  
[www.425dxn.org/dxped/](http://www.425dxn.org/dxped/)

**DX Italia DX News**  
[www.marioi2mqp.it](http://www.marioi2mqp.it)

**DH9SB Weekly DX Calendar**  
<http://www.dx-info.de>

**Southern California Contest Club**  
<http://www.socalcontestclub.org/>

**Sixth District QSL Bureau**  
[www.QSLBureau.org](http://www.QSLBureau.org)

## Propagation

Old Sol pumped out a plethora of flares a week ago. It pushed the SFI above 200 and has stayed there for days. Unfortunately the ionosphere has been disturbed. Fortunately, this happened before the Es season so 6 meters should start cranking up this month.

Looking at the charts we have well exceed the last cycle.

**Strongest Cycle Ever?**  
**Biggest Cycle?**

**Understanding Indices - K9LA**

**What to Expect During the Rising Years of Solar Cycle 25 - YouTube**

**The Termination Event | Space-weather.com**

## ARRL VE Exam Sessions

To find an ARRL exam sessions in your area go to the website:

<http://www.arrl.org/find-an-amateur-radio-license-exam-session>

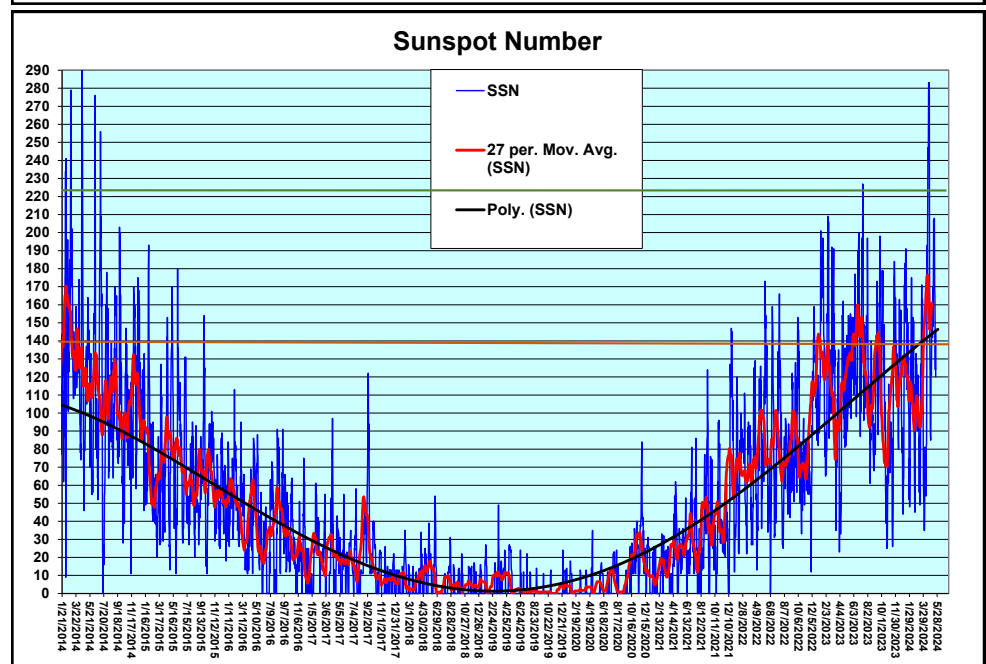
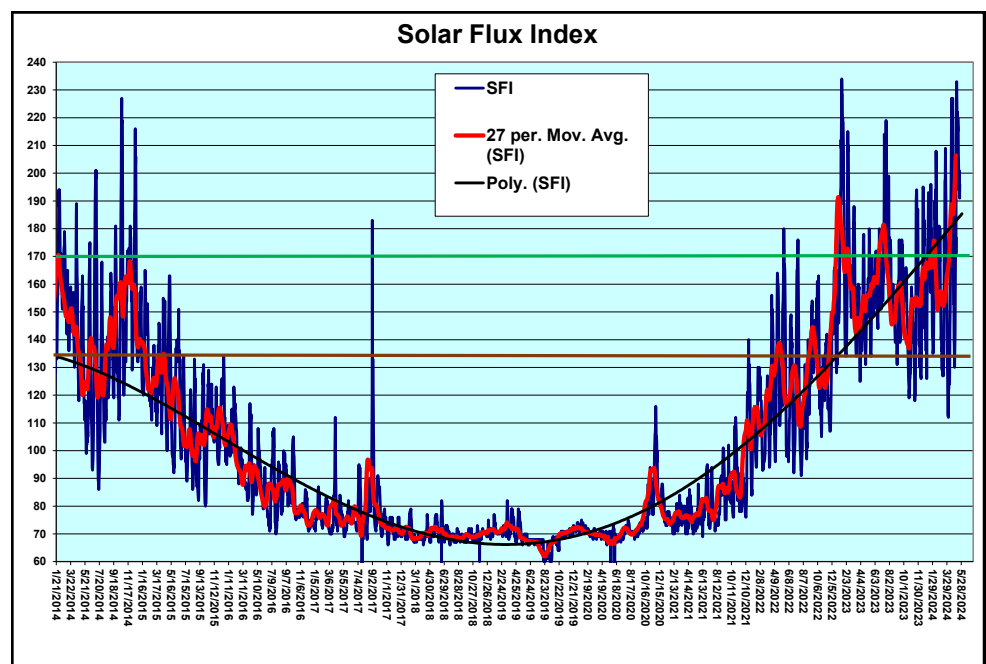
## Club and Conduct Sites

### Officer Guidelines

[http://www.scdxc.org/download/Officer\\_Guidelines.pdf](http://www.scdxc.org/download/Officer_Guidelines.pdf)

### DX Code of Conduct

<http://www.dx-code.org/>







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